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- ☒ Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts -- Filing Date Granted
- ☒ Declaration for Patent Application
- ☒ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- ☒ Power of Attorney
- ☒ Petition for an Extension of Time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts

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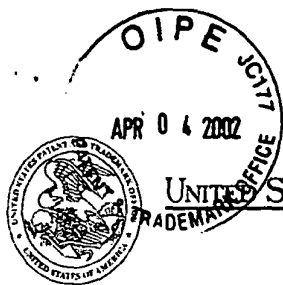
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- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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